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# "FUTURE ECONOMY:

globalisation challenges faced by Europe and the Baltics in the 21st century"

# SESSION II Circular Economy and Social Entrepreneurship

15:30 – 17:30 | Friday, September 17 Venue:

#### **Moderators:**

**JELENA TITKO** (*Dr. oec.*), Professor at EKA University of Applied Sciences, Researcher at the Institute of Economics of the Latvian Academy of Sciences;

**EDGARS CERKOVSKIS** (Mg. oec., PhD cand.), director of the study programme "Circular Economy and Social Entrepreneurship" at the EKA University of Applied Sciences

## Agenda:

- SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP ECOSYSTEM IN LATVIA (Ms. Regita Zeila, Director of the Latvian Social Entrepreneurship Association, LATVIA)
- **DEVELOPMENT OF CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN LATVIA: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES** (*Dr. sc. admin.* **Natalija Cudecka-Purina**, Head of the Environmental Quality and Waste Management Division of the Environmental Protection Department, LATVIA)
- SUSTAINABLE TEXTILE WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECYCLING PROMOTION OPPORTUNITIES IN LATVIA AND EUROPE (Mr. Jānis Aizbalts, Head of the Environmental Management Sector of the Eco Baltia Group, LATVIA)
- CIRCULAR ECONOMY FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Dr. oec. Tatjana Tambovceva, professor at Riga Technical University, LATVIA)
- SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN LATVIA: AREAS OF IMPACT (*Dr. oec.* Aija Sannikova, Member of the Social Entrepreneurship Commission of the Ministry of Welfare, Leading researcher at the Baltic International Academy, Assistant Professor at the EKA University of Applied Sciences, LATVIA)
- TRENDS OF DEVELOPMENT OF CIRCULAR ECONOMY OF LATVIA (Mg. oec., PhD cand. Edgars Cerkovskis, director of the study programme "Circular Economy and Social Entrepreneurship" at the EKA University of Applied Sciences, LATVIA)
- **DIGITAL EVOLUTION OF WASTE MANAGEMENT IN EU AND BALTIC COUNTRIES** (*Mg.sc. geol.*, PhD cand. **Nadeeshika Silva**, Research Associate at the University of Moratuwa, SRI LANKA)